

## THOMAS C. MATHIEU 92nd Representative District



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Committees: Appropriations

Biography: Democrat, of Grand Rapids; born December 2, 1936, at Sheboygan, Wisconsin: married Luan J. Lanning; children: Susan, Thomas, Jeffrey, and Lori; former Director for Community Development, Kent Community Action Program, serving Grand Rapids and Kent County, 1971-74; former director, West Side Complex Neighborhood Center, 1968-71; served three years on Grand Rapids Community Relations Commission; served on number of United Fund committees; named Conservation Legislator of the Year, Michigan United Conservation Clubs, 1979; Outstanding Legislator of the Year, American Association of University Professors, 1982; Legislator of the Year, Michigan Federation of Private Child and Family Agencies, 1987 and 1988; recipient, Distinguished Service Award, Grand Rapids Junior College, 1980; Presidential Citation, National Home Improvement Council, 1981; Distinguished Service Award, Association of Independent Colleges and Universities, 1984; Majority Whip, 1975-76; Assistant Majority Floor Leader, 1979-84; author of Mathieu-Gast Home Improvement Act, Home Heating Assistance Act, and the law creating the Civilian Conservation Corps; elected to the House of Representatives, 1974.

